Theatre last night was crowded to its ut-The Theatre last night was crowded to its utmost capacity, and many were unable to obtain gents. In consequence of the indisposition of Mons. Junes. "I Puritani" could not be performed, as any nounced; but the substitution of Domizetti's beautiful opera "Lucia di Lammermoor" in a great measure mitigated the disappointment of the audience. On this occasion the celebrated American Prima Donna, Malame Cora de Wilhorst, took the character of Lucia, and the highest appreciation of her exquisite vocalization. Barden, New Orleans were brang do the proposition of the exquisite vocalization. his occasion the celebrated American Frima Donna, Madame Cera de Wilherst, took the character of Lucia, and the highest appreciation of her exquisite vocalization was shown in the rapt and almost breathless attention of the assemblage, and their oft-repeated plaudits. Signor Labocetta sustained the part of Edgardo in a very satisfactory manner; and the acting in the scene where Edgardo casts off Lucia on learning the fact of her marriage with his rival, could scarcely be excelled. Signor Amedio appeared as Eurico, Signor Barilli as Raimondo, and Signor Rubbio as Arturo. Madame Willi Smith, Pall associated Ward Warden, New York and great taste in execution. Universal regret is expressed that the engagements of Mr. Strakosch's company prevented their longer stay in Washington. They pressed that the engagements of Mr. Strakosch's com-pany prevented their longer stay in Washington. They ounced to sing in Philadelphia to-morrow evening, and we are informed that every seat in the house is already engaged.

MERCHANTS, LOOK OUT!—Within a day or two past sections of the avenue for a violation of the law in regard to obstructing the side-walks. It may not be generally known that the law requires all awnings to be at least eight feet above the side-walk, and, where they are supported by posts, that the posts shall be within one foot of the curbstone. No less than ten complaints for violations of this law were made before Justice Thompson, who issued warrants in the several cases, and the offending parties walked up and paid their fines with a good grace, recommending, at the same time, that the law be strictly ommending, at the same time, that the law be strictly of the same time, that the law be strictly of the same time, that the law be strictly from the same time, that the law be strictly from the same time, that the law be strictly from the same time, that the law be strictly from the same time, that the law be strictly from the same time, that the law of the same time, that the same time, that the law of the same time, that the same time, that the same time, the same time that the s most amusing part of the affair is, that the gentleman who commenced this crossade by giving information against his neighbors was caught napping himself. We make this statement in order that all persons interested may take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Australia and the Celestial Empire.—The generality of people consider travelling a great bore. They hate the noise and the dust, and the extertionate landlords, and the swindling backmen, by which one is sure to be plagued. But there is one way of "doing" all the sights and wonders of foreign countries, by which dust, noise, hackmen, and landlords may be happily avoided— it is by traveling with the eyes? You will find this a much more pleasant and instructive method than you imagine. For instance, if you wish to take a peep at those queen people, the Chinese, you can do so without running the risk of having your throat cut with Celestial cutlasses, by going only as far as Odd-Fellows' Hall, where Boneau's great panorama is on exhibition. There, too, you can see spread out before you the island-continent of Australia. It is truly a grand sght. The wonderful scenes depicted make the eyes of both young and old open to their fullest extent.

CITY ORDINANCES .- During the past week the Mayor has signed the act making the usual appropriations for the contingent and other expenses of the Public Schools for the year ending June 30, 1859; an act making an appropriation of \$150 for the relief of the Franklin Fire Company; an act appropriating \$190 65 for the purpose of paying a deficiency for grading and gravelling B street north, between First and Second streets east; an act authorising the Mayor to pay Thomas Halinan \$350 in full ratisfaction for all damages and injuries sustained by his dwelling house, in consequence of the flooding of his cellar, arising from the neglect of the Corporation to pro-vide proper drainage for that locality; and an act au-thorizing the Mayor to pay the several Assessors for the work in which they are now engaged under the authority

The Lose Bridge is again open for travel, having just been placed in a state of substantial repair by the laying of two new iron railways under the south draw. The bride, under the active superintendence of the Commis-sioner of Public Buildings, is now in a condition to withstand firmly the most severe storms and winds of the winter season. Particular attention has also been paid to the construction of heavy ice-breakers along the north side, which are so placed as to defy the action of the ice when breaking up during the spring freshets, and as to offer effectual resistance to damage by almost any collision. The two draws are kept in constant action by the frequent passage and repassage of lumber, coal, and other heavy freight bottoms.

WASHINGTON MONUMENT.—Our readers will be gratified to learn that the Board of Managers of the Washington Monument Society have begun to make preparations, so far as they able in the present state of their affairs, to recommence the work. The have possession of the room in the west wing of the City Hall, where J. C. Brent, esq., their secretary, can be consulted by persons desirous nce in the way of wise. Now that the society's affairs are again in possess sion of the only board of managers who ever afforded any real service in its management, we expect confidently witness a change for the better, and a resumption of the work of erection at no distant day.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES To-DAY-Rev. John Robb will preach this morning at eleven o'clock, in the Second Presbyterian Church, on New York avenue, and Rev. R. R. Richards will preach at the same place at four o'clock this afternoon.

High mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church to-day at eleven o'clock, by the celebrated French Mountaineer Singers. A collection will be taken up on that occasion,

for the benefit of the Orphan Asylums. Rev. Mr. Bassett will preach this afternoon at half-pasthree o'clock, in the Congregational Church on Fifth st., opposite the City Hall.

WASHINGTON THEATRE. -To-morrow evening the theatrical company will re-appear, sustained by reinforce-ments from the Holliday Street Theatre in Baltimore, and in connexion with the favorite comedian, John E. Owens, who will take the character of John Unit, in the comedy of "Self." Mrs. Tayleure is to appear as Mrs. Radius, Mrs. Muzzy as Mrs. Apex, and Mr. H. F. Daly as Mr. Apex. The farce entitled "The Windmill" will close

Owens is to appear will be sufficient to fill the house. ART Association .- By a notice to be found elsewhere, the members of the Washington Art Association will perceive that their annual meeting will be held in their new gallery, over Sibley & Guy's warehouse, to-morrow evening.

the entertainment. The simple announcement that

"Gleason's Weekly Line-of-Battle-Ship" has made its appearance, and is a large and splendid paper. Clementson has it for sale at the news stand in Browns' Hotel.

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ART ASSOCIATION.—The members of the Washington art association are hereby notified that their annual meeting will be held in their new gallery, over Sibley & Guy's warehouse, on Pennsylvania avenue, at 75% o'clock on Monday evening, November 1, 1858. Oct 31 By order;

"Second Presbyterian Church, New York ave-nue.—Rev. John Robb will preach in this church on Sunday morning aext, at 11 o'clock, and Rev. R. R. Richards at 4 o'clock in the after-noon.

The third lecture in the series before the Catholic Beneficial Total Abstinence Association of the District of Columbia will be delivered by Joseph S. Wilson, esq., at the Philarmonic Hall, corner I the street and Fennsylvania avenue, on Sunday Evening, the Slat inst., at 7½ o'clock. The public is respectfully invited. Subject.—'The developments and effects of moral causes upon the social condition.''

The members of the association will meet at their Unit of Condition. ant, at half-past 6 o'clock, and

JAMES J. KANE, Secretary.

MASONIC.—The annual communication of the M. W. Grund Lodge of Free and Accepted Marons of the District of Columbia will be held on Tuesday next, November 2d, at the Masonic Hall, corner of D and 9th streets, at 4, p. m.

The officers and members of the Grand Lodge are requested to be punctual in their attendance, and all brethren in good standing are cordially invited.

By order of M. W. Grand Master : Oct 30-3t G. A. SCHWARZMAN, Grand Secretary. H. GILLET, Counsellor at Law, has removed this office to bis residence in Franklin Row, corner of K and Thirteenth streets. He will continue to devote bis attention principal-ity to cases in the United States Supreme Court.

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This popular course, designed to assist ladies in the study of our standard hierature, is accompanied by copious readings from the authors under review. The lectures are delivered on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, at 11 o'clock, a.m., and comprise notices of the most eminent writers from the age of Chaucer to the present time. PRIVATE CLASSES IN ELOCUTION.

In compliance with repeated requests, private classes are now in process of organization for ladies who wish to acquire the accomplishment of graceful and harmonious reading; and, at a separate bour, for gentlemen who wish to exercise themselves in general declamation, or in the oratory of the Senate, the bar, the pulpit, and popular assemblies, including the whole culture of voice and gesture.

READING CIRCLES

f ladies and goutlemen will also be established, to meet once or twice month, to sid in diffusing a critical laste for elecution. For details ace circulars. Oct 6—1m3taw [Intel.]

THE COLUMBIAN COLLEGE, Washington, D. C .-The next session of this institution will commence on wednesday, the twenty-minth (29th) of September. Applicants for admission will be examined on the Menday and Tuesday before the opening of the session.

The Preparatory Department of the Columbian College will commence its next session on Wednesday, the eighth (8th) of September. Apply to

Aug 18.—BlawtistNov Apply to Aug 18—3tawt1stNov

FOR SALE AND RENT.

SALE OF VALUABLE COTTON PLANTATIONS
AND BLOODED STOCK !—I will sell on accommodating terms
averal valuable cotton plantations in Dallas and Perry counties,
Alabama, all of which are now in a high state of cultivation.
Also, some small tracts of from two hundred and fifty to four hundred acres each, portions of every tract in cultivation.
Peasession will be given to the purchasers on the 1st of January
next.
These lands are all singular to the control of the control

next.

These hands are all situated near the "Selma and Mississippi Rivers railroad," and are equal in fertility to any land in the world.

Also, several improved and unimproved town lots and small tracts of hand in and adjoining Selma, including several handsomely-improved and conveniently-situated private residences, with large lots attached to them.

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The "race track" tract adjoining Selms, of 70 acres, will be laid off into two, and one-half, and five acre lots, each lot fronting upon a broad-street. This will enable purchasers to purchase, for residences or gardens, large or small lots, as they may desire, for the contract of the best blood, among which are several fine stallions, broad mares, fillies, and coits; also, the celebrated stallion "Brown Dick;" the best race horse in the South.

The above stock will be exhibited for sale at the races at Montgomery, Ala., in Novembor next.

ry, Ala., in November next.

Persons wishing to purchase will find it to their interest to comad see immediately. Arranas withing to purchase will find it to their interest to come and see immediately.

Any debts or liabilities of the late Col. Thornton B. Goldsby will be received in payment for the purchase of any of the above property. George Goldsby, eag., will show this property to all who may desire to purchase.

For information refer to Messrs. Byrd & Morgan, of Selma, and to Messrs. Brooks & Garront, of Marion.

If this property shall not be sooner disposed of at private sale, it will together with a large amount of other personal property, be cold at suction to the highest bidder in the city of Selma, on the first day of January next.

BEN. EDWARDS GREV. Trustee by

BEN. EDWARDS GREY, Trustee, &c.
SELMA, ALA., Sept. 17, 1858. Sep 28—2in HANDSOME THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLis ghouse and lot at private sale.—The subscrives and 4, in source to sell, on accommodating terms, parts of lots Nos. 3 and 4, in square No. 317, fronting 20 feet on north I, between 11th and 12th streets west, together with the improvements, consisting of a nearly new three story brick house, with basement and twe-story back-building, containing twelve rooms. Gas flatures throughout; water-tanks and bath-room; vault under the pavement for wood and coal.

The house is built in the most superior manner with 14-inch walfs throughout, and is delightidity situated, fronting on a street, an avenue, and a public reservation. Title indisputable.

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FOR RENT.—A large and first-class dwelling with all the modern improvements, with a three-stor building, for rest, either furnished or untrunished, having or our stabling, carriage-home, servants' room, &c. It is situ omisiana avenue, near the City Halt—the most central and bostton in the city.

For terms apply to or address T. J. Fisher, esq., at J. C. McGuire & Co.'s auction store, Washington, D. C. Oct 20—dif FOR RENT—On Lafayette or President's Square the dwelling known as the Club House. In size, situation, and convenience this is one of the most desirable residences in this city. Apply to Sep 30—dif No. 250 G street, corner of 17th.

NO LET .- Furnished rooms to let at 482 12th

NEW SYSTEM OF INSTRUCTION IN DANcing. Prof. Krause respectfully notifies the citizens of Wash-agton that he is prepared to form a class (either young or other-rise) for instruction in dancing.

His system is one which, upon trial, will be found, although novel, His system is one which, upon trial, will be found, atthough novel, o based upon mathematical rules, as to insure to every pupi such a nowledge of the science as will enable them to become proficients herein in TWENTX INSURATION This is the age of progress, and, startling as may appear, he challenges a test, and feels confident that the success the past in California and other places is a sure guarantee that every upil who will take instruction from him will hall with joy the optortunity afforded of becoming proficient in less time than is usually imployed to acquire even the knowledge of placing the feet cor-cetty. rectly. He can be consulted daily at Carusi's Dancing Saloon, under the Theatre, from 8 to 9, a. m., and 1 to 2, p. m., and 4 to 5, p. m., where this terrors and the fullest information will be given.

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CEORGE W. BRADFIELD, Attorney-at-Law, the "States" Building, corner of 7th and D streets, Washington, D. C., will practice in all the courts of the District, including the Court of Claims, and in the adjoining counties in Yirgluia. Claims , and : Sep 22—3m

MEDICAL STUDENTS may be supplied with all the Medical Books used in the Colleges of Washington and Georgetown, at Philadelphia prices, by FRANKLIN PHILP,

Oct 13-Imif TO DIPLOMATS AND TOURISTS .- The adver-

User, a middle-aged man, who is conversant with and speaks the English, French, Spanish, and Halian languages, is well educated, active, and of good mortal, is acquainted with maritime affairs, has been a merchant and shipowner for several years, wishes particularly to call the attention of American diplomats and touri-its, bound to the European or South American continunt, who may need an interpreter, courier, and confidential ravelling clerk. He can furnish the most unexceptionable references for qualification from many distinguished persons of the highest standing in Washington and Alabama. Address A. G., Box No. 18, Mobile, Ala., or care of the Hon. R. Pitapatrick, U. S. S.

DR. VAN PATTEN, DENTIST.—Office and residence removed to the Willard Hotel square, opposite the new and of the Tressury, and near the corner of Ponnsylvania avenue and 18th street.
Oct 7—3md\*

AUCTION SALES.

By J. C. McGUIRE & CO., Auctioneers. ONTINUATION SALE OF EXCELLENT FUR-niture and household effects.—On Tuesday morning, November 130 o'clock, we shall resume the sale of the furniture and effects. H. Knott, e.g., on 6, near 15th street, comprising the furniture, of fifteen rooms, view.

H. Knott, e.g., on G. Incar 15th street, comprising the turnious of fifteen rooms, viz:

Mahogany softs, rockers, arm and parlor chairs

Marble-top tables, whatnots

Mahogany, walnut, rherry, and maple bedsteads of various patterns

Decessing and plain bureaus, washetands

Wardrobes, tother sets, tables

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Feather beds, bedsters, and tilliows

Wardrobes, tollet sets, tables
Feather beds, boisters, and pillows
Excellent curied hair and husk mattresses
Siperior blankets, comforts, spreads
Fartor and chamber stoves and fire-from
Extension dining-lable; dhing-chairs
Mahogany isoboard, refrigerator
Solid mahogany book-case, office chairs
Together with a large and general assorts
requisites, all of which are of excellent
condition.

condition.

Terms: \$30 and under, cash; over that sum a credit of 1, 2, 3 nor 4 months, for notes satisfactorily endorsed; bearing interest. Oct 31-4

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By JAS. C. McGUIRE & CO., Auctioneers. By JAS. C. McGUIRE & CO., Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE LOT ON
the Idiand.—By virtue of deed of trust, bearing date on the 23d
day of May A. D. 1857, and duly recorded in Libre J. A. S. No. 13d,
folios 371, he, one of the land records for Washington collisty, in the
District of Columbia, the undersigned, as trustee, will sell at palfine
auction, in front of the premises, on Thursday, the 11th day of November, A. B. 1858, at four o'clock, p. na., the western part of 1st 3,
in square No. 432, in the city of Washington, the said part of said for
having a fermi of 22 feet and 10 inches, and running back the whole
depth of the lot.
Term of saic: One third in each, and the remainder in two equat
payments in six and twelve months, with interest, and secured by
deed of trust to the austication of the trustee. The terms of sale to
be complied with within five days, otherwise the trustee reactives the
right to result at the risk and cost of the first prechaser. All conveyancing at the purchaser's cost.

WM. H. WARD, Trustee.

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By JAS. C. McGUIRE & CO., Auctioneers.

EXCELLENT AND NEARLY NEW FURNIture and Household Effects at Public Sale.—On Thursday
morning, November 4th, at 16 o'clock, at House Mo. 216, on Prinsylvania avenue, opposite Willards' Hotel, we shall sell the furniture and
effects of a gentleman deciliang housekeeping, comprising.—

Mabogany carved sofns, arm chairs, rockers, and parlor chairs
Marble top centre and sofa tables
Ladies' walinut secretary and whatnot
Gilt trame French plate pier glasses, with slabs and brackets
Alabanter vasses, pictured
Pancy chairs, tables, foot-stools
Dama & and lace curtaine, cornice and fixtures
Velvel, three-ply, and ingrain carpets, cilchoth
Mahogany French bedsteads
Marble-top dressing bureans, washatande
Superior curled hair mattreesses, toilet sets
Bolsters and pillows, blankets, and comforts
Mahogany and painted wardrobes
Cottage bodsteads, buck mattreesse
Walnut writing desk, lounges
Cane and wood-seat chairs
Cooking, sir-tight, and other stoves
Together with a general assortment of kitchen requisites.
Torma: 150 and under, cash; over that sum, a credit of 60 and 100
days, for satisfactorily endorsed totes, bearing inforest.

Jas. C. McGUIRE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

By JAS. C. McGUIRE & Co, Auctioneers.

LURNITURE OF A FAMILY DECLINING

Bousekeeplug.—On Toesday morning, November 2d, at ten
o'clock, at the residence of a family declining housekeeping, opposite
Odd Fellows Hall, on Seventh street, we shall sell—
Mahogany sofas, wainut and mathogany tables
Cane and wood-seat chairs
Lounges, carpets, olicloth, matting
Window shades, clock, vases
Iron garden settice, rocking chairs
Bedsteads and bureaus, washistands
Feather beds, bolsters, and pfillows
Mattresses, looking glasses, toilet sets
Extension dining table (21 feet long)
Cooking and other stoyes
Kitchen utensils, &c.

Terms: \$20 and under, cash; over that sum, a credit of 60 and 90

Cooking and other stoye.
Kitchen utensila, &c.
Kitchen utensila, &c.
Terms: \$20 and under, cash; over that sum, a credit of 60 and lays, for satisfactorily endorsed notes, bearing interest.

JAS. C. McGUIRE & CO.,
Auctioneers

By JAS. C. McGUIRE & Co., Auctioneers. EXCELLENT RCSEWOOD SEVEN-OCTAVE PI-ane Forte, Furniture, and Household Effects at Public Sale.— On Wednesday morning, November 3d, at 10 o'clock, at the residence of a gentleman declining housekeeping, on F street, between Nine-teenth and Twentieth streets, we shall sell the furniture and effects,

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mprising—
Excellent reservood seven-octave piano forte, by J. & C. Fischer
Mahogany hair spring-seat sofa, recker, and parlor chairs
Chiatz-covered lounges, union and easy chairs
Rosewood marble-top centre and fancy tables
Mahogany card and walnut work tables
Brussels and lograin carpets, rugs
Window curtains and cornice shades
Fire sets, vases, mantel ornaments
Oak hall chairs, table folloth
Walnut sideboard, two extension tables
Gilt-frame mirrors, came-seat chairs
Superior walnut Jenny Lind and cottage bedsteads
Walnut marble-top dressing and plain bureaus
Do said painted wardrobes, wastestands
Toilet sets, towel racks, mattresses
Franklin, int tight, and other stoves
Venetian stair carpets, rods and eyes
Cooking stove and fixtures
Kitchen utensils, &c.
Terms: \$30 and under, cash; over that sum a credit of 60 and 90
tys for satisfactorily endorsed notes, bearing interest.

JAS. C. McGUIRE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

By JAS. C. McGUIRE & Co., Auctioneers. TRUSTEE'S SALE OF MACHINERY AND FIX-tures of the "Island Brewery."—On Tucesday morning, Novem-ber 2, at 11 o'clock, at the "Island Brewery." on Maine avenue, be-tween 4½ and 6th streets, Washington, I shall sell, by virtue of a deed of trust duly recorded among the land records for Washington county, all the machinery and fixtures of the "Island Brewery," com-mitting.

sunty, all the machinery and fixtures of the rising—

Steam engine, copper kettles,
Large number of casks, barrels, and half-barrels—
Tune, yats, and coolers, &c.
Two wagons, one dray
Three sets of harness
One excellent work horse
Together with all the necessary furniture and apparatus to conduct a brewery

diet a brewery

Terms: One-third cash; the residue in 6 and 12 months, for approved endorsed notes, bearing interest.

The property may be examined by application to the trustee.

THOMAS J. FISHER,
Trustee.

JAS. C. MeGUIRE & CO.,

By JAS. C. McGUIRE & CO., Auctioneers. POSEWOOD PIANO FORTE, HOUSEHOLD FUR-niture and effects at public sale.—On Monday morning, No-vember 1, at 10 o'clock, at the late residence of Gov. Bigler, corner of 12th and H streets, we shall sell all the furniture and effects, com-

sewood seven octave plano forte, stool and cover mask covered sofa, whatnot Plush covered arm and parior chairs Marble top centre and sofa tables Cilt mantel clocks, vases, &c. Brussels and ingrain carpets, cilcloth Dining tables, cane-seat chairs, lounge High-poet and hunk mattresses, bolsters, and planticus, comforts, spreads
Cooking, radiator, and other stoves
Together with a general assortment of kitchen requisites.
Terms: \$22 and under, cash; over that sum a credit of \$0 and 90 days for satisfactorily endorsed notes, bearing interest.

JAS, C. McGUIRE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

By JAS. C. McGUIRE & Co., Auctioneers. PRUSTEE'S SALE OF TWO VALUABLE LOTS THUSTEE'S SALE UP TWO VALUABLE LOAD on Capitol Bill.—On Wednesday afternoon, November 24, at 4 o'ctock, on the premises, I shall sell, by virtue of a deed of trust, dated august 19, 1867, and recorded in Liber J. A. S. No. 140, folios 216, &c., one of the land records for Washington county, lots Nos. 1 and 2, in square No. 723, situated at the corner of Second street can and Massachusetts avenue, having a front of 199 feet 7 inches on Massachusetts avenue, running through to north D street.

This property is beautifully situated in a commanding position, and the sale is worthy of the attention of persons who wish to make an investment.

no saie is worsty or be acceptable to the residue in 6, 12, and 18 months, with natrest, secured by a deed of trust on the premises. Ten per cent. of the purchase money will be required to be paid down at the time of sale, in default of which the property will be immediately resold; if the terms of sale are not compiled with within five days after the sale, the right is reserved to resell the property on one week's notice. All conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

THOS. J. FISHER, Trustee. cost of the purchaser.

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WASHINGTON INSURANCE COMPANY. Capital \$200,000! STOCKHOLDERS INDIVIDUALLY LIABLE.

The only company in Washington having such a clause in its char-Risks on buildings, merchandise, furniture, &c., taken at the lowest rates.

Besides the actual capital of the company, the individual liability clause of the charter renders the private fortune of each stockholder liable for lesses.

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Joseph Bryan,
N. B.—No charge made for policies.

JAMES C. McGUIRE, President.
June 27.—1y

A SPECIAL CARD.—I beg to inform the public strument business the same as usual at Coomb's Meiodeon Hall, discussed, opposite the new sameyivania avenue and public for sale, ront, exchange, &., as usual.

No. 366 Fenn. avenue, between 9th and 10th structs.

OFFICE OF COMMISSARY GENERAL OF SUB-

SEPARATE PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 20th day of November next for the delivery of provisions in built for the pase of the troops of the United States, upon impection, as follows:

At First Independence, Beston, Massachanetts.

50 bagels of best "meas pork"

110 barriels of fresh "extra superfine" flour

"6 bushes of new white field beans

750 persides of good hard soap

200 pounds of graviality adamantine candles

2,200 pounds of first quality dry browth suger

1,100 pounds of first quality flor coffee

12 bushels of good clean dry fine salt

200 gallons of good ciden vine.

At First Hamilton, Narrores, New Yank Harber. 200 gallons of good cider vim., "ar."

41 Fort Hamilton, Narroue, Nee Y, & Harbor.

100 barriels of best "mess pork"

220 barriels of fresh "extra superfina" four

50 bushels of new white find beass

5,000 pounds of good hard soap

400 pounds of first quality day brown sugar

5,000 pounds of first quality dry brown sugar

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4,000 gallons of good cider vinegar. At Fort Columbus, Governor's Island, New York Af Fort Cotambus, Googran's Times, New Yor 20th larrels of Bresh "extra superfine" flour 16th barrels of fresh "extra superfine" flour 16th bunkels of new white field beans 3,000 pounds of flest quality namestime cand 8,000 pounds of first quality flow coffee 4,000 pounds of first quality flow coffee 45 bunkels of good closen dry line sait 800 gallons of good cider vinegar. All Nort Morroe, Old Pedia Comfort, Popular.

250 barrols of best "inces pork!"

550 barrols of fresh "extra superfine" flour
125 bushess of new white field beaus
7,750 pounds of good hard soap
1,000 pounds of first quality all provin sugar
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1,000 gallons of good close vinegar. At Balon Rouge Barracks, Baton Rouge, Lou baton Rouge Barroccs, Baton Rouge, 50
50 barrels of least "mess pork"
110 barrels of freels "extra superfluot"
25 bushels of new white field beams
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200 gallons of good clear vinegar.
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100 barrels of "mess pork" 200 gallons of good cider vinegar.

At Carlisle Barracias, Carlisle, Pennsylvanica.

100 barrels of "mess pork"

220 barrels of fresh "extra superfine" louy

50 bushels of new white field beans

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4,000 pounds of first quality file coffee

2 bushels of good clean dry fine salt

400 gallons of good clear dry fine salt

75 barrels of best "iness pork"

100 barrels of fresh "extra superfine" flour

3,000 pounds of first quality damantine candle

3,000 pounds of first quality dry brown sugar

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At Key West Barrooks, Key West, Florida.

90 barrels of best "imess pork"

180 barrels of fresh "extra superfine" flow
40 bushels of now white field beaute

1,250 pounds of good hard soap
400 pounds of first quality adamantine candles
3,800 pounds of first quality dry brown sagar
1,000 pounds of first quality Ric coffee
20 bushels of good clean dry fine sait
400 gallons of good clear trings.

Norn.—All bidders are requested to extend the amount of their bids
or each article, and exhibit the total amount of each bid; and no bid
will be acted on unless it embraces all articles required at a post.
The periods and quantities of each delivery will be one-formth ist
June, 1st Spotember, 1st December, 1869, and ist Barch, 1860.
The beans and sait in barrols, and the soap and candles in strong
boxes of convenient size for transportation. Sait will only be received
by measurement of thirty-two quarts to the busbel. The candles to
have cotton wicks.

11) received and delivery under this advertisement will

and all expenses must be paid by contractors and all expenses must be read by the agents of the department.

Any variation from the terms of the contracts will be considered sufficient and good reason for rejecting the article or articles so varying.

The Commissary General reserves the privilege of increasing or diminishing the quantities, or dispensing with any er all articles required at any post, at any time before entering into contract; and also of increasing or reducing the quantities of each delivery one-third subsequent to contract, on giving sixty days previous notice.

All bidders are required to accompany their proposals with ample-evidence of their ability to fulfil their contracts. They must also furnish the names of their securities, whose responsibility must be certified by the district attorney, or by some p-roon well known to the government; otherwise their proposals will not be acted on.

Advances well not be made in any case, and evidence of inspection and full delicery must be received at like sifice before any requisitions will be made upon the treasury for payment, which will be effected in such 'public money as may be convenient to the points of delivery, the places of purchase, or the residence of the contractors, at the option of the Treasury Department.

No drafts on this office will be accepted or paid under any circumstances.

Each proposal will be scaled in a separate envelope, and marked

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Proposals for Farnishing Army Subsistence.

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tings, Druggets, Curlain Materials, and Bouds, such anVelvet tapestry carpetings, new designs
Tapestry Brunsels do
New styles Brunsels do
Extra leavy 3-ply do
Extra leavy 3-ply do
Extra leavy 3-ply do
Extra leavy all-wool Dutch carpetings
Twilled Venltian carpeting for halls and steps
Velvet and Brunsels do
Full sheets extra heavy and very tich faor oil
any size or shape room, hall, or passage
Mosaic, velvet, and torted rugs and mate
Cocoa and Canton mattings
12-4, 14-4, 18-4 drugget orumb cloths 12-4, 14-4, 16-4 drugget crumb cloths English druggets, all widths, by the yard Very richly-embroidered lace curtains Satin laines, brocatels, and reps for curtains White, buff, blue, and green shade lineas

White, boff, blife, and green such as the product of the State rods, curtain fixtures, &c.

Having attended HADAN & OD. S great Carpet Auction, which took place in New York on the 4th and 5th inst., we are now prepared to offer greater inducements than can be afforted under ordinary circumstances. Purchasers are respectfully invited to an examination of our community of the control of the product of the control of the cont

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed Proposals will be received by the undersigned until the 18th or Movember next for the construction of a masonry dam across the Potomac river, above Harper's Ferry, for the use of the United States armory. The dam will be insarly 1,500 feet long.

Specifications of the work may be had on application to the undersigned at Harper's Ferry, who will exhibit the plans, and give every information with respect to the work.

A portion only of the work can be completed with the appropriations now available, and the contracts will be subject to the contingency of fource appropriations by Congress.

Payments will be made in specie at the armory, or specie drafts, upon the mouthly estimates of the engineer, reserving twenty per cent. on all payments, until the completion of the contracts.

Bidders not personally known to the undersigned must produce assisfactory testimonials of their skill and ability to complete the work, and the successful bidder must enter into an obligation, within the days, with good and sufficient securities, for the completion of the work undertaken.

H. W. CLOWE.

Superintendent U. S. Armory, T. L. PATTERSON, Engineer.

T. L. PATTERSON, Engineer.

Collector's Office, City Hall, October 18, 1888 To Tax-Payers.—The law allows an abatement five per cent. to be made on the annual taxes for 1858 with may be paid at this office on or before the first day of November as after which day all abatement ceases.

JAS. F. HALIDAY.
Collector

Register's Office, October 11, 1858. TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.-Notice is hereby given that licenses issued to tavera, retaliers of tuous and fermented hiptors, wines, cordials, &c.; grocers, dry sardware, medicines, perfumery, watches, and ewes, is nool, coal, and commission merchants; also, to keapers of he acrisiged and omnibuses, billiard tables, tempin altery, and identify and for hawking and pedilling, and dealers in ald lone, opper, &c., will, expire on Monday, the let day of November and that said licenses must be reneved at this office within to